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Shooting – 1700 N. School Street

June 28, 2018

AGENCY: Normal Police Department
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On Monday, June 27, 2018, at approximately 9:30 p.m., Normal Police Officers responded to the 1700 block of N. School for a report of shots fired.

Officers arrived on scene and located witnesses who indicated that gunfire erupted outside of an apartment and a black male in dark clothing was seen fleeing the area on foot to a light-colored vehicle west of the apartment complex. The department was notified shortly after by a local hospital that an adult male presented himself at the hospital and reported being shot. Upon arrival of Normal Police, a 26-year old male reported being shot once at an address in North Normal. The individual's injuries did not appear to be life threatening. The male was not a resident of the address in the 1700 block of N. School where the shooting occurred.

The Normal Police Department's Criminal Investigation Division, in conjunction with the McLean County States Attorney's Office are actively working on the shooting investigation. Preliminarily, there is no indication that this shooting was related to any of the other recent homicides/shooting incidents in the twin cities. No arrests have been made in connection with the shooting and the police department is asking for the public's help in solving this case. Anyone with information concerning the shooting are asked to contact Detective Brad Park at (309) 454-9527 or bpark@normal.org.

If you wish to remain anonymous, please call McLean County Crime Stoppers at (309) 828-1111. If your call leads to the arrest and indictment of suspect(s) you may be eligible for a reward of up to \$1,000.
